IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.210 OF 2005

Sonu Eknath Bhagade ...Applicant

Versus

The State of Maharashtra ...Respondent

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Mr.S.V.Kotwal for Applicant.

Mr.V.B.Konde-Deshmukh, A.P.P. for Respondent.

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CORAM: A.M.KHANWILKAR, J.

JANUARY 17, 2005.

P.C.

1. Heard Counsel for the parties.

2. As there is direct material to show the complicity of the Applicant in the shape of disclosure made by the deceased to at least five witnesses complaining that he has been assaulted by the Applicant, merely because Bhanudas Vithal has not been asked to identify the Applicant, does not take the matter any further.

3. Having regard to the seriousness of the offence, not a case for bail. Rejected.

4. The District and Sessions Judge, Nasik, is directed to assign the case to the Fast Track Court, if already not done, to ensure early disposal of the trial.

A.M.KHANWILKAR, J.